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For: CONTROLLING ELECTRIC MOTORS AND AN ELECTRIC MOTOR SYSTEM

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

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Reconsideration of the Office Action of January 28, 2004 and the Advisory Action of June 29, 2004 is respectfully requested.

Applicants note with appreciation the Examiner's confirmation that the issues concerning 35 USC 112, second paragraph, were overcome in the last response dated May 27, 2004. The sole remaining issue in this case relates to the objection raised against claims 15-17 concerning whether or not claims 15-17 represent objectionable duplicates of claims 11, 13 and 14.

Per the discussion with Examiner Duda of today, the enclosed Amendment, featuring amended Claims 15-17, renders non-applicable the objection raised against 15-17. Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that the application is in condition for allowance.

Authorization is given to charge deposit account number 02-4300 any fees (e.g., extension fees) associated with this filing. Also, as the six month deadline is July 28, 2004, written confirmation of the allowance status by that date would be greatly appreciated by the Applicants.

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